

State Medical Board of Ohio
Formal Action Report – September 9, 2026

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Please find below a summary of actions taken or initiated by the State Medical Board of Ohio and an update of Board matters pending or decided in courts as of September 9, 2026.

PRE-HEARING SUSPENSIONS

CROTTY, Michael James, M.D., (#35.122802) - Lima, Ohio

Pursuant to Section 4731.22(G), license to practice medicine and surgery is summarily suspended based on Board's determination that there is clear and convincing evidence that the doctor is in violation of Section 4731.22(B)(26), Ohio Revised Code, and that her continued practice presents a danger of immediate and serious harm to the public. Order effective 9/9/26. (See also: Citations/Proposed Denials below.)

CITATIONS

AZIZ, John Joseph, M.D., (#35.085380CTR) - Dublin, Ohio

Based on allegations with respect to the care and treatment of three identified patients, when the doctor engaged in a repeated pattern of sexual impropriety and boundary violations, including inappropriate sexual questions, requests for demonstrations or physical contact, and attempts to solicit dates, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, statute or any rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: Prohibitions regarding sexual misconduct; which also constitute a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established; and making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the Board. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/9/26.

CROTTY, Michael James, M.D., (#35.122802) - Lima, Ohio

Based on allegations when the doctor failed to complete treatment as recommended by OhioPHP, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of substance use disorder or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that may impair

ability to practice. Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/10/26.

DONTINENI, Pavan Venkata., M.D., (#35.099411) - New Albany, Ohio

Based on allegations with respect to the care and treatment of one identified patient, when the doctor inappropriately treated and/or failed to appropriately treat, or appropriately document treatment, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: a failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease, and departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/11/26.

FORMAN, Charles W., D.O., (#34.014069) - Upper Arlington, Ohio

Based on allegations with respect to the care and treatment of one identified patient, when the doctor inappropriately treated and/or failed to appropriately treat, or appropriately document treatment, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: a failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease, and departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/9/26.

GEBHART, Rick W., D.O., (#34.005782) - Dayton, Ohio

Based on allegations when the doctor wrote a prescription for Lorazepam for a patient made at the request of a second patient, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: the selling, giving away, personally furnishing, prescribing, or administering drugs for other than legal and legitimate therapeutic purposes or a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction of, a violation of any federal or state law regulating the possession, distribution, or use of any drug; and making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the Board; and violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any statute or any rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: General Provisions, which also constitute failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease; and a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective upon date of service.

LEWIS, Brandon Michael, R.C.P. Applicant (APP-000899788) - Cherry Valley, California

Respiratory care professional notified of right to request a hearing on the question of whether his failure to submit to a chemical dependency examination as ordered by the Board was due to circumstances beyond his control. Based on the legal presumption that the respiratory care professional's failure to submit to a chemical dependency examination as ordered by the Board constitutes an admission of impairment in ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of substance use disorder or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that may impair ability to practice. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/9/26.

RAO, Shri K., M.D., (#35.085099) - Mason, Ohio

Based on allegations that prior disciplinary actions by the Ohio Pharmacy Board, which summarily suspended the doctor's business, a Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs, for which she is also the responsible person, and also on a 11/7/25 settlement agreement, constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand; and the commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Unapproved Drugs-Dangerous Drug Offenses Involving Livestock. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/11/26.

RICHARDSON, Amber Lynn, D.O., (#34.011626) - Centerville, Ohio

Based on allegations when the doctor allowed another physician to prescribe her oxycodone so she could then return that prescription to the prescribing physician, and also then failed to report that physician, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: the selling, giving away, personally furnishing, prescribing, or administering drugs for other than legal and legitimate therapeutic purposes or a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction of, a violation of any federal or state law regulating the possession, distribution, or use of any drug; and violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any statute or any rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: Reporting Requirements. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective upon date of service.

SAGAR, Sandeep NMN, M.D., (#35.155674) - Owensboro, Kentucky

Based on allegations when the doctor failed to fully disclose past impairment and answer all application questions completely, and also based on prior disciplinary actions by the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure which issued a 3/19/26 Agreed Order that was based in part on impairment, and a 9/12/25 Emergency Order of Suspension, and by the Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine which issued a 3/24/26 Final Order, those acts and/or omissions, individually

and/or collectively constitute: Any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand; and making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the Board; and the revocation, suspension, restriction, reduction, or termination of clinical privileges by the United States department of defense or department of veterans affairs or the termination or suspension of a certificate of registration to prescribe drugs by the drug enforcement administration of the United States department of justice. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/11/26.

SHAKH, Julia, M.D., (#35.133156) - Mansfield, Ohio

Based on failed to submit to a Board Ordered mental health evaluation, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: inability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental illness or physical illness, including, but not limited to, physical deterioration that adversely affects cognitive, motor, or perceptive skills. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective upon date of service.

WILSON, Marc Aaron, M.D. Applicant (APP-001075921) - Denton, Texas

Based on allegations that prior disciplinary actions by the Texas Medical Board which issued a 3/27/26 Agreed Order, an 11/4/11 Remedial Plan, and a 3/21/25 Remedial Plan, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: Any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/13/26.

YANG, Shu, M.T. Applicant (APP-000938762) - Flushing, New York

Based on allegations when the massage therapist submitted an application to practice massage therapy wherein she disclosed details of practicing massage therapy without a license, and made additional disclosures to a Board Enforcement attorney, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Practicing Medicine without a License. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/9/26.

ZANDERS, Dante', M.D., (#57.254629) - McRae Helena, Georgia

Based on allegations when the doctor failed to comply with the terms of a non-practice agreement entered into with OhioPHP, and on allegations that the doctor submitted a falsified USMLE Step 3 Score Report to the College of Medicine for Ohio State University, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: Impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of substance use disorder or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that may impair ability to practice; and inability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental illness or physical illness, including, but not limited to, physical deterioration that adversely affects cognitive, motor, or perceptive skills; and making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the Board. Notice of Opportunity for Hearing effective 9/9/26.

NON-DISCIPLINARY CITATIONS

None.

FINAL ORDERS

BOROS, William M., M.D., (#35.090399) - Gate Mills, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery permanently revoked and subject to payment of a twenty thousand dollar (\$20,000.00) fine. Based on the finding with respect to the care and treatment of ten specified patients, when the doctor failed to appropriately treat and/or failed to appropriately document treatment of these patients, those acts and/or omissions individually and/or collectively constitute: failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease; and a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established; and violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any statute or any rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: General Provisions, and Utilization of short term anorexia for weight reduction, and Utilization for chronic weight management, Standards and procedures for review of "Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System", Prescribing of opiate analgesics for acute pain, Utilizing prescription drugs for the treatment of chronic pain, which also constitute a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established, and selling, giving away, personally furnishing, prescribing, or administering drugs for other than legal and legitimate therapeutic purposes or a plea of guilty to, a judicial finding of guilt of, or a judicial finding of eligibility for intervention in lieu of conviction of, a violation of any federal or state law regulating the possession, distribution, or use of any drug. Board Order effective 9/11/26. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

BRUN, Rachel N., R.C.P., (#APP-000666999) - Middletown, Ohio

Application to practice as a respiratory care professional denied. Based on the finding when the respiratory care professional practiced respiratory care without a license, that act constitutes commission of an act in the course of practice that constitutes a misdemeanor in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed. Board Order effective upon date of service. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

FISHKOFF, Howard S., D.O., (#34.006783) - Louisville, Kentucky

License to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery revoked. Based on the finding that a prior disciplinary action by the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure which issued a 6/18/25 Default and Final Order of Indefinite Restriction, and by the Tennessee Board of Osteopathic Examiners which issued an 8/11/25 Order of Indefinite Suspension, individually and/or collectively constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Board Order effective 9/10/26. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

GIVENS, Sarah Ruth, M.T., (#33.022639) - North Olmsted, Ohio

License to practice massage therapy revoked. Based on the finding when the massage therapist failed to adhere to the imposed terms, conditions, and limitations contained in a 11/13/24 Board Order, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: a violation of the conditions of limitation placed by the board upon a license or certificate to practice. Board Order effective upon date of service. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

HANNA, Hani, M.D., Applicant (APP-000769809) - Columbus, Georgia

Application for a license to practice medicine and surgery permanently denied. Based on the submission of an application to practice medicine and surgery, and on the finding when the doctor failed to disclose a prior 5/5/22 summary suspension of his clinical privileges which were subsequently resigned in lieu of investigation and an associated 12/1/21 investigation at Hackensack University Medical Center, those acts and/or omissions individually and/or collectively constitute: making a false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading statement in the solicitation of or advertising for patients; in relation to the practice of medicine and surgery, osteopathic medicine and surgery, podiatric medicine and surgery, or a limited branch of medicine; or in securing or attempting to secure any license or certificate to practice issued by the Board. Board Order effective 9/9/26.

HURST, Donna Kay, M.T., (#33.018425) - Middleburg Heights, Ohio

License to practice massage therapy revoked. Based on the finding that the massage therapist's failure to submit to a chemical dependency examination as ordered by the Board constitutes an admission that she is unable to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of his habitual or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that impair ability to practice. Board Order effective 9/11/26. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

LUCKETT, Justin Lee, M.T., (#33.026777) - Canal Winchester, Ohio

License to practice massage therapy permanently revoked, and subject to payment of a twenty thousand dollar (\$20,000.00) fine. Based on the finding when the massage therapist engaged in sexual misconduct with two patients, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions or rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: Prohibition regarding sexual misconduct, which also constitute a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established. Board Order effective 9/23/26. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

SABIR, Shabbir Nooruddin, M.D., (#35.093938) - Dana Point, California

License to practice medicine and surgery revoked, and subject to payment of a five thousand dollar (\$5,000.00) fine. Based on the finding that a prior disciplinary action by the Medical Board of California Department of Consumer Affairs which issued a 6/20/24 Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, and when the doctor failed to respond to Board Interrogatories or emails, those acts and or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand; and failure to cooperate in an investigation conducted by the Board. Board Order effective upon date of service. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

SHELLY, Marion Irene, D.O., (#34.006706) - Bluffton, Ohio

License to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery revoked. Based on the finding that her failure to submit to a chemical dependency examination as ordered by the Board constitutes an admission that she is unable to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care by reason of mental illness or physical illness, including, but not limited to, physical deterioration that adversely affects cognitive, motor, or perceptive skills. Board Order effective upon date of service. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

WEISS, Steven D., M.D., (#35C.003078) - Ladysmith, Wisconsin (Non-Disciplinary)

Expedited medical license obtained through the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact is terminated. Based on the finding that the doctor failed to maintain a license in the state of principal licensure without redesignation of a new state of principal license. Board Order effective 9/10/26. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

ZEDAKER, James C., P.A., (#50.002173RX) - Tallahassee, Florida

License to practice as a physician assistant revoked and subject to payment of a one thousand dollar (\$1,000.00) fine. Based on the finding when the physician assistant failed to adhere to the terms and conditions outlined in the 8/10/2023 Board Order, those acts and/or omissions individually and/or collectively constitute: Violation of the conditions placed by the board on a license to practice as a physician assistant. Board Order effective upon date of service. (Journal Entry-No Hearing Requested).

CONSENT AGREEMENTS

DAULTON, Laura A., M.T., (#33.005878) - Cincinnati, Ohio

License to practice massage therapy reinstated and reprimanded, and subject to completion of required educational courses in professional ethics, and payment of a five hundred dollar (\$500.00) fine. Based on the massage therapist's admission when she inadvertently continued to practice massage therapy after her license expired, those acts individually and/or collectively constitute: commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Practicing Medicine [or a limited branch] Without a Certificate. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

DESAI, Sonia Praful, M.D., (#35.125659CTR) - Broadview Heights, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery reprimanded, and subject to probationary terms and completion of required educational courses in professional ethics and boundaries, and payment of a four thousand dollar (\$4,000.00) fine. Based on the doctor's admission when she publicly posted a negative review of a patient without permission after that patient had posted a negative review of the doctor, those acts individually and/or collectively constitute: Willfully betraying a professional confidence, and violation of any provision of a code of ethics of the American medical association, the American osteopathic association, the American podiatric medical association, or any other national professional organizations that the board specifies by rule. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

GRONBACH, Lynn Ann, D.O., (#34.011228) - Terrace Park, Ohio

License to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery suspended for an indefinite period of time, and subject to interim monitoring, and conditions for reinstatement, including entering into a subsequent consent agreement. Based on the doctor's admission when she withdrew from her

Confidential Monitoring Agreement with OhioPHP and decided not to proceed with a comprehensive diagnostic evaluation despite having previously tested positive for marijuana, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: Impairment of ability to practice according to acceptable and prevailing standards of care because of substance use disorder or excessive use or abuse of drugs, alcohol, or other substances that may impair ability to practice. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

GUERRA, Julio Enrique, M.T., (#33.022472) - Wooster, Ohio

License to practice massage therapy reinstated, and subject to general requirements. Based on having completed the requirements for reinstatement of license pursuant to the terms of a 12/10/25 Consent Agreement. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

GUPTA, Shalini, M.D., (#35.078800) - Cincinnati, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery indefinitely suspended, but not less than ninety days, and subject to interim monitoring, and conditions for reinstatement including completion of all coursework ordered by the Ohio Board of Pharmacy, and payment of a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000.00) fine. Based on the doctor's admission when the Ohio Board of Pharmacy summarily suspended the Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs license of a business for which the doctor is the responsible person and supervisor, due to having purchased and possessed a dangerous drug not in accordance with Ohio law, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provision or rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: General Provisions, and Selling, purchasing, distributing, or delivering dangerous or investigational drugs, which also constitutes a failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease; and Unapproved Drugs; and any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

MCPHEE, Jennifer Anne, M.D., (#35.132027) - Cincinnati, Ohio

Effective 9/24/26, license to practice medicine and surgery is indefinitely suspended, but not less than ninety days, and subject to interim monitoring, completion of required educational courses in medical ethics, conditions for reinstatement, and payment of a fifteen thousand dollar (\$15,000.00) fine. Based on the finding when the doctor failed to obtain a Terminal Distributor of Dangerous Drugs license prior to operating a Ketamine Clinic, and then prescribed ketamine to a family member without properly documenting the prescriptions, those acts and/or omissions, individually and/or collectively constitute: violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or abetting the violation of, or conspiring to violate, any provisions or

rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: Utilizing Controlled Substances for Self and Family Members Rule, and the Ohio Automated Rx Reporting System Rule; which also constitute a departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established, and also a failure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease. Agreement effective 9/9/26. Suspension effective 9/24/26.

QUERESHY, Faisal A., M.D., (#35.075842) - Medina, Ohio

License to practice medicine and surgery reprimanded, and subject to permanent limitation prohibiting the doctor from administering anesthesia, excluding local anesthesia, and payment of a ten thousand dollar (\$10,000.00) fine. Based on the doctor's admission that a prior disciplinary action by the Ohio State Dental Board which issued a 3/4/26 Adjudication Order, constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

TODD, Jennifer A., M.T., (#33.014712) - Marengo, Ohio

License reinstated and immediately suspended for an indefinite period of time, but not less than ninety days, and subject to interim monitoring and completion of required educational courses in professional ethics, conditions for reinstatement, and payment of a five hundred dollar (\$500.00) fine. Based on the massage therapist's admission when she continued to practice massage therapy after her license having lapsed, those acts constitute: commission of an act that constitutes a felony in this state, regardless of the jurisdiction in which the act was committed, to wit: Practicing Medicine Without Certificate. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

WONG, Eric, D.O., (#34.017152) - Brookfield, Wisconsin

License to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery subject to probationary terms and conditions for an indefinite period of time, but not less than two years, including the requirement to maintain compliance with the Wisconsin Medical Board's Order's conditions for termination of probation. Based on the doctor's admission of prior academic and residency discipline and dismissal from residency after performance concerns, and on a Wisconsin Medical Examining Board's Order Granting Limited License, those acts individually and/or collectively constitute: any of the following actions taken by an agency responsible for authorizing, certifying, or regulating an individual to practice a health care occupation or provide health care services in this state or another jurisdiction, for any reason other than the nonpayment of fees: the limitation, revocation, or suspension of an individual's license to practice; acceptance of an individual's license surrender; denial of a license; refusal to renew or reinstate a license; imposition of probation; or issuance of an order of censure or other reprimand. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

VOLUNTARY PERMANENT SURRENDERS, RETIREMENTS, REVOCATIONS, WITHDRAWALS

CWYNAR, Eric J., D.P.M., (#36.003022) - Powell, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice podiatric medicine and surgery, authorized by the doctor in lieu of further formal disciplinary proceedings in Case 25-CRF-0231, and pursuant to Sections 4731.22(B)(20), and 4731.22(B)(6) Ohio Revised Code, as set forth in the 12/10/25 Notice of Opportunity for Hearing. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

GREENE, Michael Todd, L.D. Applicant (APP-001047101) - Wellsville, Ohio

Permanent withdrawal of application for a license to practice as a licensed dietician, authorized by the dietician in lieu of further formal disciplinary proceedings in Case 26-CRF-0129, and pursuant to Section 4759.07(A)(8), Ohio Revised Code, as set forth in the 6/10/26 Notice of Opportunity for Hearing. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

CLARKE, Andrew J., M.T., (#33.021886) - Logan, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice massage therapy, authorized by the massage therapist in lieu of further formal disciplinary proceedings in Case 26-CRF-0131, and pursuant to Sections 4731.22(B)(20), and 4731.22(B)(6) Ohio Revised Code, as set forth in the 6/10/26 Notice of Summary Suspension and Opportunity for Hearing. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

JONES, Jerry, III., M.D., (#35.051234) - Mequon, Wisconsin

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to medicine and surgery, authorized by the doctor in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Section 4731.22(B)(22), Ohio Revised Code. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

JOY, Christina, M.D., Applicant (APP-001096659) - Centereach, New York (Non-Disciplinary)

Non-disciplinary withdrawal of reciprocity application, authorized by the doctor. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

SHAMALI, Shadi, M.T., (#33.021926) - North Olmstead, Ohio

Permanent surrender and revocation of license to practice massage therapy, authorized by the massage therapist in lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to Sections 4731.22(B)(20), and 4731.22(B)(6), Ohio Revised Code, regarding sexual misconduct. Agreement effective 9/9/26.

PROBATIONARY REQUESTS AND RELEASES

BAFITIS, Harold, D.O., (#34.003416) - Juno Beach, Florida

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 12/10/25 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 9/9/26. Release effective immediately.

BARROWS, Courtney E., M.D., (#35.140203) - Dover, Ohio

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 9/8/21 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 9/9/26. Release effective immediately.

GILBERT, Justin L., R.C.P., (#RCP.13033) - Ashland, Kentucky

Respiratory Care Professional's request for release from the terms of the 12/10/25 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 9/9/26. Release effective immediately.

KATABAY, Adil O., M.D., (#35.080847) - Dublin, Ohio

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 6/10/26 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 9/9/26. Release effective immediately.

PRETORIUS, Harold T., M.D., (#35.056690) - Blue Ash, Ohio

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 1/14/26 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 9/9/26. Release effective immediately.

SOZEN, Ibrahim, M.D., (#35.135611) - Columbiana, Ohio

Doctor's request for release from the terms of the 1/14/26 Consent Agreement granted by vote of the Board on 9/9/26. Release effective immediately.

REINSTATEMENTS

None.

DISMISSALS

SAGAR, Sandeep NMN, M.D., (#35.155674) - Owensboro, Kentucky

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing issued 6/10/26 in Case Number 26-CRF-0123 is dismissed without prejudice. Dismissal effective 9/8/26.

COURT ACTIONS

ABDELMALAK, Joseph B., (#35.093969) – Broadview Heights, Ohio

Supreme Court of Ohio declines to accept jurisdiction on 8/18/26.

ASGHER, Shoaib, M.D., (#35.124547) – Mason, Ohio

Decision and Entry affirming the Board's Order, filed 8/12/26, in the Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County, Ohio.

BOROS, William M., M.D., (#35.090399) - Gate Mills, Ohio

Notice of Appeal filed 9/22/26, in the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas.

HANNA, Hani, M.D., Applicant (APP-000769809) - Columbus, Georgia

Notice of Appeal filed 9/24/26 in the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas.

KOUSA, H. Joseph, M.D., (#35.060918) - Canal Winchester, Ohio

Notice of Appeal filed 8/25/26, in the Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County, Ohio.

MCGINNIS, James M., D.O., (#34.005660) – Wheelersburg, Ohio

Notice of Withdrawal of Appeal, filed 8/25/26 in the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas.

MOUFAWAD, Sami, M.D., (#35.084593) – Pepper Pike, Ohio

Journal Entry and Opinion affirming decision of lower court, filed 8/27/26, in the Court of Appeals of Ohio, Cuyahoga County, Eighth Appellate District.

SEEDS, William Asa, M.D., (#35.070566) – Cleveland, Ohio

Entry Granting Motion to Stay With Conditions, filed 8/10/26, in the Court of Common Pleas, Ashtabula County, Ohio. Doctor shall not directly or indirectly, or through Standard Care Agreements, provide infusion clinic services or ketamine clinic services, and must complete continuing medical education courses within nine months of stay entry.

WEINER, William A., D.O., App. (APP-000955846) - East Rockaway, New York

Notice of Appeal filed 9/11/26, in the Court of Common Pleas, Franklin County, Ohio.

Please note that revocation and suspension Orders are not always effective immediately. If you have questions about effective dates or conditions governing a doctor's practice before a Board Order takes effect, please contact the office.

Ohio law permits appeal of a Board Order to the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas. Due to this possibility and the potential for a stay that might delay the imposition of a Board action, you may wish to contact us periodically to verify a given practitioner's licensure status.

Most current citation letters, Board Orders, consent agreements and voluntary surrenders or retirements are available on the Medical Board's website under "Lookup a License." If you have questions or need additional details about Citations, Board Orders, or Court Actions, please contact the Case Control Office. If you have questions regarding a Consent Agreements, probationary modification or a probationary request, please contact the Compliance Office. Our offices may be reached at (614) 466-3934.